

In 2015, 153 correctional facilities met the Texas Health & Safety Code Chapter 89 criteria and were required to report their TB screening activities in the form of a Monthly Correctional TB Report. This annual report highlights TB screening activities in your jail and compares results to all designated Texas Health & Safety Code Chapter 89 correctional facilities.

Table 2: TB Screening Results January 1– December 31, 2015			
Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office	Total at this Facility	% at this Facility	All Facilities (Chapter 89)
INMATES			
Number of Skin Test Administered	12,891		483,566
Number of Skin Test Read	9,349	72.5%	369,748
Number of Positive Tuberculin Skin Test	582	6.2%	22,616
Number of Chest x-rays Performed	991		37,238
Number of Conversions	0		1,796
Number of TB Suspects Reported	1		148
Number of Active TB Cases Reported	2		134
Number of TB Cases Transferred In	0		7
EMPLOYEES			
Number of Skin Test Administered	390		15,024
Number of Skin Test Read	390	100%	14,354
Number of Positive TST	1	0.3%	119
Number of CXRs Performed	1		629
Number of Conversions	0		53
Number of TB Suspects Reported	0		2
Number of Active TB Cases Reported	0		0

In 2015, there were 9,349 employee tuberculin skin tests administered and read at Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office. Of that number, 582 (6.2%) had a measurement of 10 mm or greater.

There were 390 employee tuberculin skin tests administered and read in 2015. Of that number, 1 (0.3%) had a measurement of 10 mm or greater.

There was one suspect and two cases reported in 2015 at Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office.

All Monthly Correctional TB Reports were submitted for 2015 - 100%.